

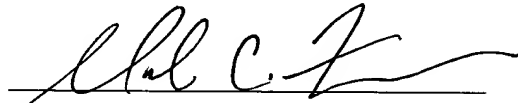
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Response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment

Remarks

The foregoing is submitted in response to a Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed August 18, 2003. The response filed on August 1, 2003 was a *bona fide* attempt to respond and, therefore, the applicant was given one month to present a proper amendment. The previously submitted amendment reproduced the cancelled claims. This response deletes the cancelled claims and, therefore, is believed to be properly formatted. The undersigned apologizes for the amendment formatting error.

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